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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Jose CIBELLI ET AL.

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Title:

EMBRYONIC OR STEM-LIKE CELL LINES PRODUCED BY CROSS SPECIES NUCLEAR TRANSPLANTATION AND METHODS FOR ENHANCING EMBRYONIC DEVELOPMENT BY GENETIC ALTERATION OF DONOR CELLS OR BY TISSUE CULTURE

CONDITIONS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby request that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by five (5) months pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

A check in the amount of \$985.00 is submitted herewith in payment of the required extension fee. This amount is believed to be correct, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket 100375.54700US). A duplicate copy of this

letter is attached.

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Respectfully submitted,

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